

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

TRAN NHAT BAO NGUYEN,

Defendant.

Case No. CR21-138-RSL

ORDER GRANTING
UNOPPOSED MOTION TO
CONTINUE TRIAL DATE
AND PRETRIAL MOTIONS
DATES

This matter comes before the Court on defendant's "Unopposed Motion to Continue Trial and Pretrial Motions Dates." Dkt. # 16. Having considered the facts set forth in the motion, and defendant's knowing and voluntary waiver, Dkt. # 17, the Court finds as follows:

1. The Court adopts the facts set forth in the unopposed motion: specifically, that in mid-September, defense counsel received nearly 2,000 Bates stamped pages of discovery, that counsel needs more time to review these documents, discuss the documents with defendant, consider possible defenses, make potential discovery requests, and initiate an investigation to gather evidence. Dkt. # 16. The Court accordingly finds that a failure to grant a continuance would deny counsel, and any potential future counsel, the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation, taking into account the exercise of due diligence, within the meaning of 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(iv).

2. The Court finds that a failure to continue the trial date in this case would likely result in a miscarriage of justice, as set forth in 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i).

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